

62

1958

Or

# Cypripediums

E. C. WILCOX

Hybridizer and Grower of Cypripediums  
Exclusively

1336 MICHILLINDA AVENUE  
Second Block North of Foothill Boulevard

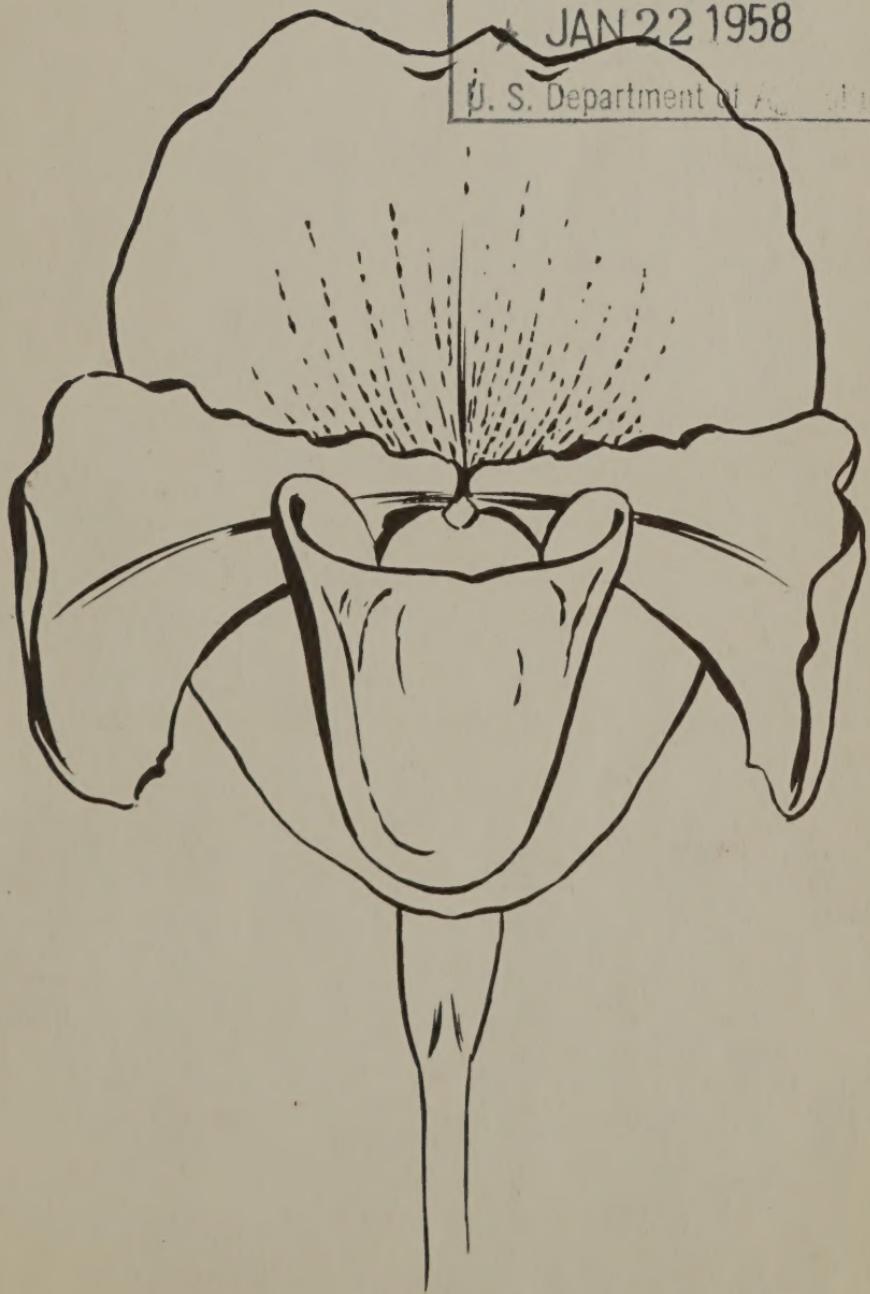
ARCADIA, CALIFORNIA

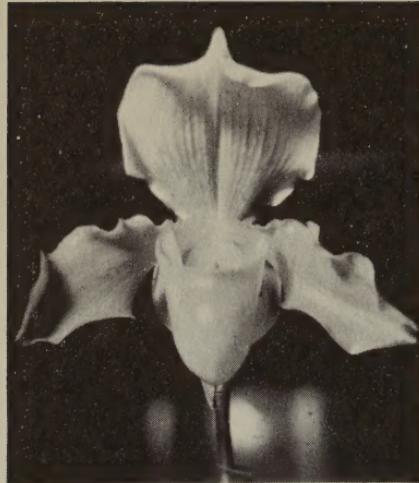
ELgin 5-3775

LIBRARY  
RECEIVED

JAN 22 1958

U. S. Department of Agriculture



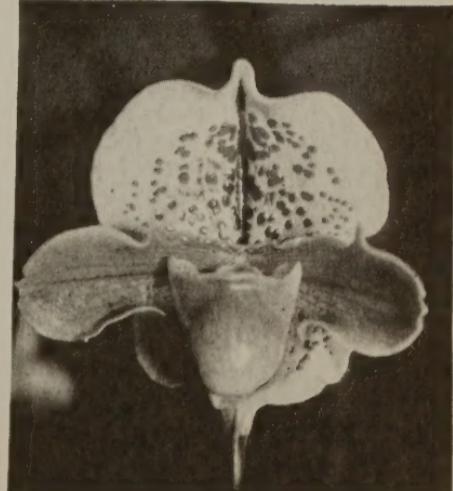


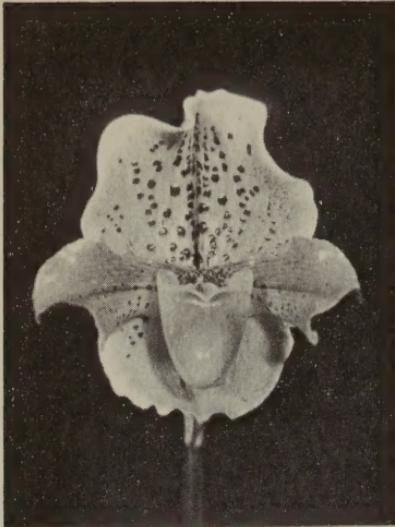
Cyp. ANN HARPER. This flower is large size for a yellow-green. Altho the shape is somewhat open the general quality is good and can be considered typical for plants at \$10. in this list.

1. ANN HARPER.	Large green, white.	Robust grower.	Nov. bloom.	\$10.
2. Abaran.	Large, fine form.	Red dotted dorsal, pouch green.		30.
3. Agnes de Burc.	Very choice, large light green.	Broad petals.		45.
4. Alvina.	Large red blotches on fine white dorsal.	Pleasing.		20.
5. ATLANTIS, 'CARDINAL'.	Famous parent, solid red.	Perf. shape.		20.
6. Atlantis, 'Red Admiral'.	Red flame dorsal.	Good size.		20.
7. Alderlands, 'A'.	Round form.	Large red spots in dorsal.		20.
8. Ann Coventry.	Large well spotted type.	Good quality flower.		15.
9. Ambition.	Fine variety.	Well known, large green, small dots.		35.
10. Andromache, 'Exquisitum'.	Green dorsal.	Petals, pouch rose.		25.
11. Audrey, 'Magnificum'.	Exceptional shape.	Heavily red dotted.		25.
12. Aton.	Good yellow with few dark spots in dorsal.			15.
13. Altair.	Red spots that often overlap making fine pattern.			15.
14. Amarah.	Large full-shaped yellow.	Good petals, pouch. Stem weak.		10.
15. Amasis.	Good solid red, wide white border.	Good grower.		10.
16. Astarte.	Very popular small white.	Few tiny dots in dorsal.		20.
17. Baccante, 'Superbum'.	Tremendous large solid red,	wide petals.		25.
18. BLACK THORPE, 'A'.	Choice large spotted type.	Vigorous.		12.
19. Black Thorpe, 'S'.	Large spotted type.	Good quality.		7.
20. BLACK THORPE, 'B'.	Fine medium size flower.	Dorsal rose flame.		7.
21. Ballad, 'AE' or var. 'AF'.	Many tiny dots in lines.	Good size.		7.
22. Ballad, 'B' or 'AR'.	Both these varieties with bright red dorsals.			10.
23. BONITA.	White bordered rich chocolate dorsal.	Red petals.		12.
24. Burleigh Mohur, 'A'.	Medium size.	Chestnut stripes in dorsal.		10.
25. Burleigh Mohur, 'B'.	Similar to variety A	but a larger flower.		12.
26. BALAFINE.	Round, flat, neatly spotted.	Excellent balance.		20.
27. BLUE ORDER, 'A'.	Choice boldly spotted flower.	Very large.		10.
28. Blue Order, 'C'.	Another fine variety.	Less spotting than variety A.		10.
29. Blagrose, 'A'.	BA OSSC.	Large, fine shape.	Red flame dorsal.	25.
30. Blagrose, 'B'.	BA OSSC.	Very large.	Excellent red spotted dorsal.	35.

31. Betsy Raper.	Bright red flame dorsal. Very large.	\$10.
32. Broadway II.	Dorsal solid deep red, narrow white border.	25.
33. Bordubi, 'eau d Nil'.	Famous solid green parent. Still good.	10.
34. Blockley, 'Grange'.	Very large dark flower. Embossed blotches.	15.
35. Blackamoor, BA OSSC.	Indescribably different in spotted type.	35.
36. BALORI.	Unusual rich brown pattern in dorsal. Medium size.	7.
37. Black Hunter, 'C'.	Thickly red dotted to seem nearly solid.	15.
38. Charndon.	Dorsal red, white. Petals red, green. No spots.	7.
39. CLAVAMOORE, 'B'.	Very fine shape. Brown blaze dorsal center.	20.
40. Checkendon.	Dark chocolate-red dorsal. Wide red petals.	12.
41. Clavawol, 'A'.	Finely shaped flower in green and amber color	15.
42. Charlemagne.	Large deep gold with tiny brown dots in lines.	15.
43. Carmona, 'BA OSSC'.	Large red. Dots brushed on in lines.	15.
44. CAPPA MAGNA, 'FRED SANDER' FCC RHS.	Fine solid red.	25.
45. Cappa Magna, 'Dorothy Sharpe'.	Well shaped. Dorsal rose flushed.	12.
46. Cardinal Wing, 'A'.	Unusual red blazed dorsal, green pouch.	15.
47. Chardmoore, 'Mrs. Cowburn'.	Very large light flower. Top breeder.	50.
48. Cathay, 'Orient'.	Medium green, lightly spotted. Tan pouch.	10.
49. Cairo, 'Mag'.	Green dorsal uniformly brown spotted. Rosy petals.	15.
50. Clavaham, 'A'.	White capped green dorsal. Big flower production	7.
51. Charmaine.	Few large embossed black spots on fine white dorsal.	10.
52. Cavalese 'Nobilior'.	Very large. Sparsely spotted. Red p & p.	12.
53. Cavalese.	Very large.. Neatly spotted. Choice quality flower.	25.
54. Cavalese, 'Majesticum'.	All the good points. Award quality.	35.
55. Cuchulain.	Nice square dorsal heavily spotted. Dark petals & pouch.	15.
56. Clementine Churchill 'A' BA OSSC.	Dorsal covered tiny red dots.	35.
57. Clementine Churchill 'C'.	Red dots in lines. Red petals and pouch.	20.
58. Clementine Churchill 'D'.	Dorsal red striped. Fine shape. Large.	15.
59. Clementine Churchill 'F'.	Dorsal red flushed and dotted. Good.	20.
60. Crescent Meadows, 'Hanes'.	Good quality green and white flower.	15.

Cyp. BLACK THORPE 'A'. This plant displays a flower that is much better than the average spotted type. It has very large size, excellent shape and is cleanly marked in red-brown coloring. Its overall quality is typical of plants in this list that are priced \$12. to \$15.





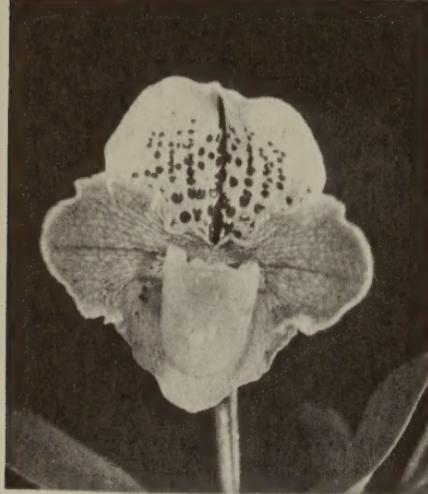
Cyp. LONDON WALL. 'Fairfield' BA OSSC. Very large flower with white bordered golden green dorsal. A fine distinctive flower of a justly famous cross. One of the best varieties in the Wilcox collection.

61. Dickler, 'Langley's'. Fine lge. gold flower. Lge. brown dorsal spots. \$25.
62. Denshaw, 'Alston's'. Large, compact flower. Heavily red spotted. 15.
63. Diversion. Bright green, white bordered dorsal. Few tiny dots. 20.
64. Doris Hunter, 'A' BA OSSC. Very good deep solid red. Large. 25.
65. Doris Hunter, 'B' Large. Dorsal peppered with red dots. 15.
66. Doris Brummitt. Color of Atlantis, size, shape of Chardmoore, Mrs.C 30.
67. Diana Broughton 'A'. Clear yel-green, sparsely peppered. 10.
68. Diana Broughton 'C'. Same color as 'A' but larger, and wider petals. 12.
69. Delicia, 'Radiance' AM RHS. Well shaped large solid red flower. 35.
70. Dervish, 'Finest'. Large glistening white dorsal. Yellow p. and p. 25.
71. DECAMERON, 'Amaranth'. Fine rose dorsal. Good petals, pouch. 20.
72. Emil Vacin, 'Choice vars'. Greens of excellent quality since these are the top ones from a group of over 800 of the cross. 15.
73. Evanswing.. Dark red of fine shape and balance. 30.
74. Edith Taylor. Few rose stripes on broad white dorsal. Gr. petals. 15.
75. Eurybiades x Lady Dillon. Striking dark green marked with rose. 25.
76. Elbasling 'A'. Green and white, fuller shaped than most this type. 15.
77. Elbasling 'B'. Large green with dorsal 90% white. Rose petals. 10.
78. Elbasling 'C'. Med. size. Dorsal 90% green, white border, fine shape. 25.
79. Elaine, 'Luna'! Large light flower. Dorsal lightly dotted. Good shape. 15.
80. Emmer Green. Green with rose overlay making a good mud color. 15.
81. EVENING STAR. Good size red blotched type. Plants multiply fast. 10.
82. Festive Hunter 'B'. Red flame dorsal, red petals and pouch. Nice. 15.
83. Festive Hunter 'F'. Flat, red spotted type. Good red petals, pouch. 12.
84. Farnpage 'B'. Large typically spotted flower. Well shaped. 10.
85. Fanfare. Red dots in lines that become solid color in dorsal center. 7.
86. Fairrieanum. Unique and charming small specie. Very popular. 15.
87. Fenella. Very large. Uniformly red spotted. Better than many. 15.
88. Floraliaes, 'Ruby' x Cardinal Morton. Fine solid chocolate red. 20.
89. Francesca. Large flower. Dorsal goffered, red striped. Good p & p 15.
90. FARNMOORE, 'Rex' BA OSSC. Perfection in large spotted type. 15.

91. F.C. Puddle, 'Superbum'. Popular fine white, known by all.	\$35.
92. GRACE DARLING, 'Forfarshire' BA CS. Fine green, white flower.	25.
93. Ganges x Chesham. Brown spotted green and white dorsal. Large.	15.
94. Gwen Hennen, 'Fine'. Typical dotted green dorsal, larger than most.	10.
95. Good News, 'First Edition' BA ODC. Exlt. green, rose petals, pouch.	35.
96. Gantling, 'Beta' SA CS. Wide petaled green. Spotted type.	30.
97. Gantling, 'E'. Lge. yel-green. Brown spotted dorsal. Rose petals.	12.
98. Gantling, 'Gamma' BA CS. Actually finer shape, color than 'Beta'	35.
99. Hanmar. Large green. Tiny dots in lines. Rosy pouch, petals	12.
100. Huntress. Large spotted type in red-brown color. May-June flrg.	10.
101. Haroun, 'No.1'. Color of Viking, 'FCC' but much larger. Good form.	25.
102. HAPPY BEN. Good large spotted flower. Blooms thruout the year.	15.
103. Hestia. Spotted green much like Warrior 'Greens'. Rose petals.	10.
104. Harnish Mac Leod x Emily Butters. Distinctive spotted brown, white.	25.
105. Isabella, 'Regina' Choice black spotted type. Fine red petals.	25.
106. J.M. BLACK, 'AM RHS'. Good parent. Red spotted type. Gd. red petals	12.
107. Jackpot. Red spotted flower of distinction. Decidedly different.	30.
108. JOHN THATCHER. Selected var. Very lge. Embossed dorsal blotches.	15.
109. Kingpin, 'BA OSSC'. Large flower. Dorsal heavily chestnut patterned.	15.
110. Loretta. Large flowered rose dotted dorsal. Good red-brown petals.	15.
111. Leonora, 'Amaranth'. Solid deep red type of fine size.	15.
112. Locarno. Typical of many dark spotted dorsal types. Large.	7.
113. Lavinia, 'Superbum' King size spots on white dorsal. Dark p & p.	12.
114. LITTLECOT. Large. Dots in green area of dorsal. Much white.	15.
115. Little Dean. Gold petals, pouch. Dorsal green, white bordered.	15.
116. LEMANI DUCIS, FCC RHS. Very choice solid red. Goffered dorsal.	25.
117. London Wall, 'Fairfield' BA OSSC. See photo this catalog.	65.
118. London Wall, 'Green Gold' BA OSSC. Less dorsal spots than #117.	65.
119. Lucky Strike, 'D', 'N', 'E', 'AA', 'AE'. Good large spotted types.	15.
120. Lucky Strike, 'L', 'O', 'J', 'AH', 'BB'. Finest varieties of the cross.	20.

Cyp. REDEZELLE. A new Wilcox red cross. The flower pictured is average for quality, some are much finer in form. Most varieties have flame dorsals but a few have heavy red spots. All varieties are large. Varieties vary in price from \$20. to \$40. depending on the quality. See these in flower about in February.





Cyp. BEL AIR (Pilgrim x Abaran). Introduced by Wilcox in 1957 this cross has proved to be tremendously variable in color. Some plants have the neat spotting of the picture, while others have fine solid red dorsals. Still others are good greens and some have a fine ray-like warm brown dorsal pattern. Form is almost uniformly as good as the pictured flower. Most flowers are medium in size. Unflowered plants will be available in '57 and '58 at \$7.50. Flowered plants \$10. to \$20. each depending on quality.

121. Michael Stewart. Selected varieties. New green and white cross.	\$12.
122. Margaret Mac Caull, 'Trophy' SA OSSC. Fine wide petaled green.	60.
123. Mildrington, 'A'. Dorsal solid bright blood red. Fine form.	20.
124. Mildrington, 'B'. Full shaped. Large. Red petals, dorsal spots.	15.
125. Manya. Large spotted type. Red-brown pouch and petals. Good.	15.
126. Masholera. White dorsal red blazed up center. Quality flower.	15.
127. Monesta. Round flower, heavily red blotched dorsal. Good petals.	12.
128. Maori, 'Oaklands'. Well known cleanly spotted flower. Large.	25.
129. MILTHORPE, 'A'. Red rays in dorsal, wide white border. Prolific.	10.
130. Milthorpe, 'B'. Greenish, large flower. White dorsal sparsely dotted	10.
131. Milthorpe, 'C'. White bordered dark red flame dorsal. Large.	10.
132. Minotaur, 'Westonbirt' FCC. White dorsal non-uniformly dotted.	15.
133. Milmoore, 'A'. Fine flame dorsaled red flower. Has distinction.	20.
134. Noel Hardy, AM RHS. Good medium size green. Few small dots.	20.
135. ODIN, 'WESTPOINT'. Large yellow with tiny purple dots in dorsal.	20.
136. Omar, 'Mag'. Well balanced spotted type. Fine square dorsal.	20.
137. OGON. Good red dorsal. Large size. Grows like a weed.	7.
138. Oliviana, 'No.10'. Narrow white bordered green. Brown striped ctr.	12.
139. Portia, 'Distinction'. Choice heavily spotted type. Fine shape.	25.
140. Pocahontas, 'Nobilior'. Dorsal green overlaid red. Wide bordered.	35.
141. Pocahontas, 'A'. Similar to #140 but dorsal about 90% white.	25.
142. PAPYRUS, 'MODEL'. Rose patterned broad dorsal. Distinctive.	12.
143. PRIORITY. Heavy green flower. Dorsal has tiny dots in lines.	12.
144. Paragon, 'Distinction'. Fine shape. Dorsal patterned reddish rays.	25.
145. Regent, 'Mag'. Very large. Dorsal richly embossed dark red spots.	50.
146. Red Crusader, 'Armacost'. Large bright solid red. Gd. petals, pouch	40.
147. Roger Coulson. Med. size green and white flower. Better than many.	12.
148. Raventrast, 'B'. Similar to #146 but deeper red, not as large.	20.
149. Robt. Casamajor. Medium size green with dorsal mostly white.	12.
150. Ravenhunter, 'B'. Fine round flr. White bordered red flame dorsal.	20.
151. Romney Green, 'C'. Perf. shape. Green & honey-brown. Neatly spotted	25.
152. Sheba, 'Exquisitum'. Large solid red. Base of dorsal cocoa.	15.

153. Susan Tucker.	New, good quality white larger than most.	\$25.
154. Selina, 'Perfection' BA OSSC.	Large compact green. Choice.	50.
155. Saracen.	Very large heavily spotted type. Old but good.	12.
156. Saraband, 'Red Earl'.	Famous var. red. Warm growing type.	20.
157. Shalimar.	Med. size all green, except white dorsal border.	15.
158. Thunderbird.	Very large. White dorsal thickly red spotted.	15.
159. Trojan, 'Splendens'.	Red blotched dorsal. Large flower.	10.
160. Thias, 'Forest King' FCC.	Famous var. gen. called Forest King	50.
161. Undine, 'Imperial'.	Tall stemmed apple green flr. Few dots.	12.
162. Vagabond.	Large conventionally spotted type. Late season.	12.
163. Viking, FCC RHS.	Well known. White dorsal red blazed center.	35.
164. Viking x Manissa.	Lge flr. Goffered dorsal. Resembles Viking.	25.
165. WARRIOR, 'GREENS'!	Lge chocolate spotted green. Compare price.	12.
166. Wooburn, 'Globe' x Maginot, 'Big Shot'.	Solid red. Fine form.	20.
167. Wanda, 'Delight'.	Amber spotting on fine white dorsal.	20.
168. WILDFIRE.	Average size. Good solid red dorsal. Wide petals.	15.
169. Windermere.	Green and brown flower. Neatly dotted.	15.
170. Windsor x Cappa Magna.	Gigantic spotted type flower.	12.
171. YELLOWJACKET.	Green dorsal, narrow margined, dots in lines.	15.
172. Xantippe, 'Arcadia' BA ODC	Large brown-gold and green flower.	25.

#### NEW WILCOX QUALITY FLOWERED SEEDLINGS

(Unflowered plants available most crosses)

Majorling (G. Darling x R. Casamajor) Green and white.	\$15 - 25.
Sophomore (Fairrieanum x Chardmoore, Mrs. C.) Novelty reds.	\$ 7 - 15.
Greentippe (Xantippe x Green Dragon) Good greens.	\$10 - 20.
Kensington (G. Darling x Green Dragon) Fine green, white.	\$10 - 20.
Roseling (Blagrose, BA x Gantling, SA) Perf. shape. Chocolate	\$20 - 40.
Jim Dandy (Mem. F.M. Ogilvie x Blackamoor) Lge. Spotted type	\$10 - 25.
Grayson (R. Coulson x G. Darling) Med. size greens.	\$ 5 - 10.
Gwen Coulson (Gwen Hannen x R. Coulson) Similar to Grayson	\$ 5 - 10.

Cyp. JIM DANDY. A new Wilcox cross. All plants so far flowered had very large flowers. Shape runs quite uniformly good. Some have green dorsal background with narrow white border and others have only small green area at base of dorsal. All are boldly spotted.



Flowered and Unflowered Seedlings Continued

Lobo Rojo (Sharmain x Burleigh Mohur)	Like Jim Dandy but lighter.	\$10 - 20.
Redezelle (Robt. Paterson x Doris Hunter)	See picture page 4.	20 - 40.
Fire Chief (Atlantis, 'Card'. x Doris Hunter)	Good solid reds.	10 - 25.
Grace Darling, 'Forfarshire' x Marg. Mac Caull, 'Trophy'.	Greens.	10 - 25.
Shooting Star x M. Mac Caull, 'Trophy'.	Green, dorsal mostly white.	10 - 25.
Atlantis, 'Card' x Hellas, 'Wbirt' Unflrd.	Expect excellent reds.	(see (
Clem. Churchill, BA x Chardmoore, 'Mrs. C'	Unflrd. Will be triploids(below	

UNFLOWERED SEEDLINGS

4"-8" SPREAD \$3.00 OVER 8" \$7.50  
FLOWERING SIZE \$10.00

ESSENTIAL INFORMATION

The Wilcox collection is made up of over 5000 Cyps and a few hundred selected Vandals. Seedlings of both genera are grown. The Cypripedium group is generally recognized as one of the finest in Southern California, and many awards and prizes have been won at orchid shows.

All plants listed are healthy well grown specimens of blooming size. Usually this means a plant with three growths but some very vigorous growers at some seasons may be only two growths in size.

Kodachrome pictures are available for practically all varieties listed and may be requested for plants in which you may be interested. The pictures are loaned only and must be returned.

Shipment of plants for out of town purchasers will be sent collect by RR Express, Air Express or U S Mail depending on your request or my judgment of the best method of delivery. There is no packing charge.

For beginners or growers wishing to try a few cyps inexpensively there is always a group of cut-flower grade plants available at \$3.00 per plant. These plants are in an assortment of colors and your color preference will be followed as closely as possible. The choice of plants will be mine, in this group. Flowers produced by these plants are not of high quality but neither are they 'culls' since this latter class is not sold at any price.

Cyp seed, of crosses made with the finest parents, is available in the fall and winter. Price is \$10. per half seed pod. Correspondence invited as to crosses on hand. Custom sowing of seed can be arranged. Germination and productivity of any seed is strictly the buyers risk.

In this catalog the plants that are considered the best buys are listed in CAPITALS. These are generally priced lower than their quality would warrant since they are varieities that propagate very rapidly.

Some of the plants listed are in limited supply so you should either include second choices with your order or allow me to substitute like or better quality plants in case ones you order are out of stock.

UNFLOWERED SEEDLINGS

4"-8" SPREAD \$3.00 OVER 8" \$7.50  
FLOWERING SIZE \$10.00